

Talking about someone's abilities

We learnt in lesson eight that to ask Can you speak Chinese? you say Nǐ huì bú huì shuō Hànyǔ?
你会不会说汉语? Now the same sentence pattern will be used to ask about other things that people are able to do.

<p>Hànyǔ</p> <p>你会不会说汉语?</p> <p>ná kuàizi</p> <p>你会不会拿筷子?</p> <p>zuò</p> <p>你会不会做中国菜?</p> <p>yóuyǒng</p> <p>你会不会游泳?</p> <p>tī zúqiú</p> <p>你会不会踢足球?</p>	<p>{ 我会。</p> <p>{ 我不会。</p>
<p>Yīngyǔ</p> <p>他会不会说英语?</p> <p>qíchē</p> <p>他会不会骑车?</p> <p>bǎnqiú</p> <p>他会不会打板球?</p>	<p>{ 他会。</p> <p>{ 他不会。</p>



New words and expressions

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| 1. 饿 | è | hungry |
| 2. 吃 | chī | to eat |
| 3. 点儿 | diǎnr | a little, a bit (short form of yìdiǎnr 一点儿) |
| 4. 东西 | dōngxi | thing dōng- east; xī- west |
| 5. 想 | xiǎng | to feel like, to think |
| 6. 三明治 | sānmíngzhì | sandwich |
| 7. 渴 | kě | thirsty |